

## HR 6156

### Protecting JOBs Act

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Jun 20, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development. (Oct 19, 2018)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/6156>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Ferguson, A. Drew, IV [R-GA-3]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** GA • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Jun 20, 2018
Rep. Curbelo, Carlos [R-FL-26]	R · FL		Jul 13, 2018
Rep. Lujan Grisham, Michelle [D-NM-1]	D · NM		Jul 13, 2018
Rep. Hunter, Duncan D. [R-CA-50]	R · CA		Jul 18, 2018
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Jul 18, 2018
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Sep 12, 2018
Rep. Comstock, Barbara [R-VA-10]	R · VA		Sep 12, 2018

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Oct 19, 2018

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3065	Identical bill	Jun 14, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

### Summary (as of Jun 20, 2018)

### Protecting Job Opportunities for Borrowers Act or the Protecting JOBs Act

This bill amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to prohibit states from suspending, revoking, or denying driver's licenses, teaching licenses, or professional licenses based solely on individuals' default or delinquency on student loans.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Oct 19, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Development.
- **Jun 20, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 20, 2018:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.